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PTO/SB/08B is attached, however, in accordance with Official Gazette Notice dated August 5, 2003, copies of the U.S. patents and patent application publications are not attached.

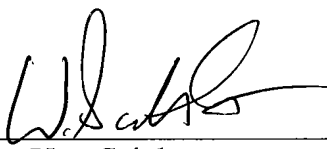
US Patent Document 1 relates to photopolymerizable compositions and layers containing 2,4,5-triphenylimisazoyal dimers. This reference is believed to be clear from the specification of the present application. US Patent Publication Document 1 is the U.S. equivalent application of JP2003-295426, previously cited in an Information Disclosure Statement. Accordingly, no further comment with regard to the disclosure of this document is believed to be required.

It is respectfully requested that the attached documents be considered and officially cited, and that the Examiner initial a copy of Forms PTO/SB/08A and PTO/SB/08B, and return them to the undersigned to indicate that the documents have been considered.

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